

2023/2024 Psychology Major Checklist

- **Requirements: 56 total psychology credit hours. 48 upper division psychology credit hours (includes 16 at UO).**
- Introductory and methods courses are prerequisites for core courses at the upper level; see course schedule for specifics.
- **PSY 201 and 202 must be taken graded and passed with a C or higher. All other courses, except electives, must be taken graded and passed with a C- or higher.** Electives may be taken P/N and students must receive a P.
- **PSY 410 Peer Advising and Peer Lab Leader courses are experiential learning courses and only count as Elective credits.**
- **No more than 4 credits total of PSY401 or PSY406 can apply to a student's elective credits.**
- **Minimum GPA of 2.0 in Psychology coursework required.**

Introductory/Prerequisite Courses – 8 credits: (Each class equals 4 credits, **taken graded, C or higher**)

PSY 201(>3) _____ AND PSY 202(>2) _____ (pre-requisites for PSY 302-309)

Other Prerequisite courses (not included in psychology credit hours; must be taken graded and passed with a C- or higher)

WR 121 _____ and WR 122 _____ or WR 123 _____ (WR 122 or 123 is a pre-requisite for PSY 303)

STAT 243Z or MATH 243 _____ (recommended, but will accept Math 246, 251 or higher; pre-requisite for PSY 302)

300-level Core Courses – 12 credits. Choose at least 3 and **must include 304 or 305.**

(Each class equals 4 credits, taken **graded, C- or higher.** PSY 201 is a prereq for PSY 304 & 305; PSY 202 is a prereq for PSY 306-309, PSY301 recommended; [See class schedule for specifics](#))

PSY 304 _____ PSY 305 _____ PSY 306(>US) _____ PSY 307 _____ PSY 308 _____ PSY 309 _____

Methods/Foundations Courses – 12 credits: (Each class equals 4 credits, taken graded in sequence, C- or higher required) PSY 301 (>3) _____ (pre-requisite for PSY 302 and 303)

PSY 302 _____ (pre-requisites: PSY 201, 202, 301, Math 243, etc.) **Maximum of two attempts** in this course..

Math 425, 461, 462 may be substituted for PSY 302.

PSY 303 [Topic] _____ (pre-reqs are PSY 301, 302, WR 122 or 123). **Repeatable once when topic changes.**

PSY 303 is a prerequisite for 400-level psychology classes.

400-level Specialty Courses– 12 credits. Choose at least 3

(Each class equals 4 credits, taken **graded, C- or higher**)

(PSY 303 is a prerequisite for 400-level psychology classes.)

Additional prereq as noted: 433 – 304 or 305; 436 – 305; 438 – 304; 440 – 305; 445 – 304; 449 – 304; 450 – 304; 475 – 305 or 308; 476 – 305 or 308; 478– 306 or 307 or 308; 479 – 308; 480 – 308 or 309; [See class schedule for specifics](#))

*PSY 410 Evol. Psy. _____ *PSY 410 Forensic. Psy. _____ *PSY 410 Stereotype & Prejudice _____

PSY 420 _____ PSY 433 _____ PSY 436 _____ PSY 438 _____ PSY 440 _____ PSY 445 _____

PSY 449 _____ PSY 450 _____ PSY 457 _____ PSY 458 _____ PSY 459 _____ PSY 468 _____

PSY 472 _____ PSY 473 _____ PSY 475 _____ PSY 476 _____ PSY 478 _____ PSY 479 _____

PSY 480 _____

ELECTIVES -- Minimum **12 upper division** credits, 8 credits must be from 300-400 level coursework**. Elective courses can be taken graded (C- or higher) or P/N and must be passed.

_____ cr: _____ cr: _____ cr: _____ cr: _____ cr: _____

***Note:** PSY 410 content courses count toward core course requirements. All PSY 410 experiential learning courses count as **elective credits only**.

****** Only 4 credits of PSY 401 and/or PSY 406 will count toward the major elective credits requirements. Additional experiential learning credits count for university upper division credits.

Psychology Course Offerings

Satisfying General Education Social Science Credit

PSY 202 Mind and Society
PSY 366 Culture & Mental Health
PSY 380 Psychology of Gender

Satisfying General Education Science Credit

PSY 201 Mind and Brain
PSY 301 Scientific Thinking
PSY 380 Psychology of Gender

Satisfying Multicultural Requirements

PSY 366 Culture & Mental Health

Satisfying US Difference, Inequality & Agency Credit

PSY 306 Social Psychology
PSY 380 Psychology of Gender

Methods Courses

PSY 301 Scientific Thinking
PSY 302 Statistical Methods in Psychology
PSY 303 Research Methods in Psychology

300 Level Core Courses

PSY 304 Biopsychology
PSY 307 Personality
PSY 305 Cognition
PSY 308 Dev. Psychology
PSY 306 Social Psychology
PSY 309 Psychopathology

400 Level Core Courses

Social Area

PSY 420 Psychology and Law
PSY 457 Group Dynamics
PSY 458 Decision Making
PSY 459 Cultural Psychology

Cognitive/Experimental Area

PSY 433 Learning and Memory
PSY 436 Human Performance
PSY 438 Perception
PSY 440 Psycholinguistics

Personality/Psychopathology Area

PSY 468 Motivation & Emotion
PSY 472 Psychology of Trauma
PSY 473 Marital & Family Therapies
PSY 480 Development & Psychopathology

Biological/Physiological Area

PSY 410 Evolutionary Psychology
PSY 445 Brain Mechanisms of Behavior
PSY 449 Human Neuropsychology
PSY 450 Hormones & Behavior

Developmental Area

PSY 475 Cognitive Development
PSY 476 Language Acquisition
PSY 478 Social Development
PSY 479 Infancy
PSY 480 Development & Psychopathology

Electives

All 300 and 400 level core courses *in excess of core requirements* count as electives.

Please check prerequisites in the course description for readiness!

PSY 348 Music and the Brain
PSY 366 Culture and Mental Health
PSY 380 Psychology of Gender
PSY 383 Psychoactive Drugs
PSY 388 Human Sexuality
PSY 399 Special Topics
PSY 410 Peer Advising / Peer Lab Leader
HPHY 333 Motor Control
**LING 396 Language and Cognition

PSY 401 Research
PSY 403 Thesis (Honors students only)
PSY 405 Reading
PSY 406 Practicum
PSY 407 Seminar (Topic / Credits Vary)
PSY 412 Applied Data Analysis
PSY 490-492 Honors in Psychology

These courses are only available to Psychology Honors Program participants

**Students will not be given psychology major credit for LING 396 if they also take PSY 440.

PSY 401 and PSY 406 are limited to 4 credits total as elective credits for major requirements.